

May 11, 1988

To: File

From: Frank Filas

Re: Site Inspection, Fivemile Clay Pit, M/045/006

On April 28, 1988 Holland Shepherd and I visited the above referenced clay pit. The primary purpose of the inspection was to familiarize ourselves with the site so that we could evaluate Interstate Brick's response to an earlier Division review. Interstate's response is now overdue by more than a month.

It appears that little if any work has been done since the mine and reclamation plan was submitted in 1985. Current postlaw disturbance covers approximately 25 acres. The main pit appears to be almost mined out. Hopefully this pit can be backfilled as other areas are opened up.

No major safety or environmental concerns were noted. The rick of rock that surrounds the pit does an adequate job in protecting ATV's from driving into the pit. Fencing of the highwall does not appear necessary. A bond estimate will be prepared based on the plan submitted in 1985. It is unlikely that the overall plan will change significantly during the review process.

cc: L. Braxton
W. Hedberg
H. Shepherd

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4-28-88
Five Mile m/045/006
Pit 2E Looking Southeastly
7+ 30(11) (active)

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~~Blocked Dr~~ (40)?
Waste Dump ~~2A~~ has been placed
into old pit on the SE end.
3e

4-28-88
m/045/006
Pit 2A - south side
3A

4-28-88
m/045/006
Pit 2A - north side
3A